

ISSUE 1 / INSPIRATION STYLING VENUES FOOD DRINK SETTINGS

PRO **STYLE**

The Wedding **SPECIAL**

THE PERFECT DAY

Inspiration & ideas

SAY I DO... ANYWHERE

Beach, vineyards
or mansions

FEAST ON LOVE

Memorable food & drinks

Weddings
by
PETER ROWLAND

EDITOR'S *note*

We couldn't be more excited to bring to you our first Weddings Special

With more than 50 years experience creating wedding celebrations on beaches and vineyards; within grand venues, gardens and galleries, Peter Rowland delight in making memorable experiences for brides, grooms, their families and friends.

Planning a wedding is such a thrilling – but sometimes daunting – task. Our Weddings by Peter Rowland team make it easy and our first PRC Style Wedding Special is all about providing ideas and inspiration from selecting the perfect location through to the food and drinks you'll serve.

We love sharing our expertise and helping future brides and grooms plan their perfect day. Read on and enjoy some PRC style...



FIONA SCANLON
WEDDINGS BY PETER ROWLAND

menu

CANAPES

OCEAN TROUT, AVOCADO CREAM, PICKLED RED ONION
AND FENNEL CRISP
POACHED CHICKEN AND HERB MAYONNAISE SANDWICH
PRAWN AND LEMONGRASS DUMPLING WITH CHILL LIME DIP

ENTREE

LEMONGRASS ROASTED TIGER PRAWNS WITH CUCUMBER SALAD,
CHILL ROASTED PEANUTS AND SESAME WATERS

MAIN

ROASTED BUCKLE WITH GRILLED ZUCCHINI, CALLIFLOWER
CREAM AND RED WINE BIS
GRILLED BARRAMUNDI WITH BABY SPINACH, LEMON POTATO
PUREE AND CRISP LEEK

DESSERT

WEDDING CROULEMBOUCHE
FRENCH CHOCOLATE TRUFFLES AND FRUIT BILLYS
FRESHLY BREWED COFFEE AND TEA

IN LIEU OF A WEDDING FAVOUR WE HAVE MADE DONATIONS
ON BEHALF OF ALL OUR GUESTS TO THE AUSTRALIAN AND
BEYOND BLUE TWO CHARITIES CLOSE TO OUR HEARTS
LOVE, PASHA & PASHA

Photography Credits

Alison Mayfield
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Luma Photography
Nikole Ramsay
This Day Forward
Warren Photography



OPEN DAY at Rippon Lea

6 MARCH 2016 11am-3pm

The National Trust will open the doors to the majestic Rippon Lea on Sunday 6 March in a special Open Day by Peter Rowland. View the grounds, the glamorous pool and elegant ballroom to be inspired for your wedding. PRC Wedding Concierges will be on hand to assist, provide ideas and advice as well as discuss theming and menu options at one of Melbourne's most treasured wedding venues. Attend the Open Day for your chance to WIN an all inclusive Platinum Wedding Concierge Package for your big day*

192 Hotham St, Elsternwick. Register your interest [here](#)

*conditions apply



Wedding Concierge service exclusive to PRC

Drawing on years of experience creating and perfecting weddings for hundreds of clients – and with a coveted list of suppliers – this new bespoke service can guide you through the planning process with the Diamond Package or completely arrange all aspects of the wedding with the Platinum Package. Both help you create the wedding of your dreams with as much fun as possible.

Click [here](#) for more info

in the KNOW

What every bride-to-be should have in their diary...



One Fine Day WEDDING FAIR

20 & 21 FEB 2016

All the inspiration you'll need will be in the beautiful surrounds of the Royal Exhibition Building for One Fine Day – an annual showcase of all things weddings from gowns to jewellery, stylists to celebrants, musicians to make up.

Meet the Weddings by Peter Rowland team too, who'll be on hand to talk over the city's best venue options and ideas, along with menus and hospitality ideas.

Royal Exhibition Building, Carlton Gardens,
9 Nicholson St, Carlton

Visit the One Fine Day website [here](#)

DREAM settings...

Weddings by Peter Rowland provide exclusive access to some of the state's best venues. Landmark galleries, historic houses, vineyards or yacht clubs, selecting a wedding setting has never been easier for your ceremony, official photos and reception.



*National Gallery of
Victoria sets the tone
for an artistic affair*



PRC INSPIRATION

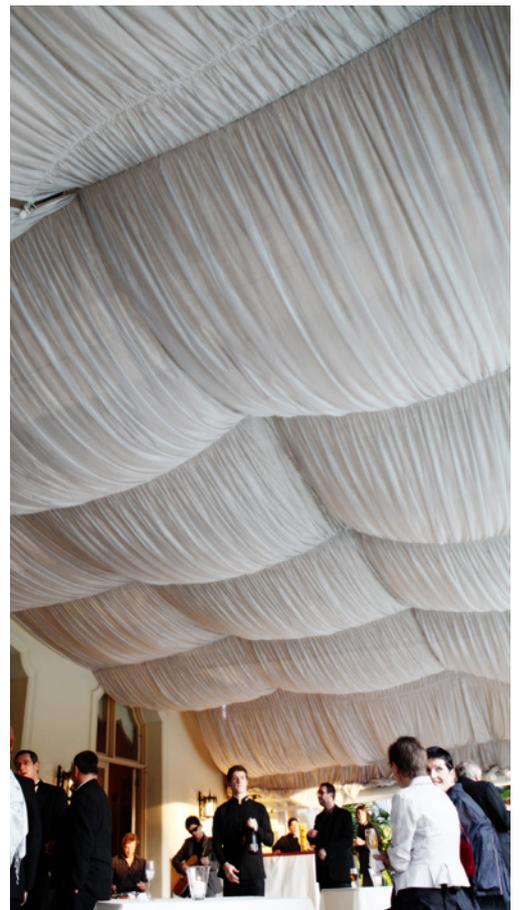


ROMANCE IN THE CITY
Gardens House, Royal Botanic Gardens



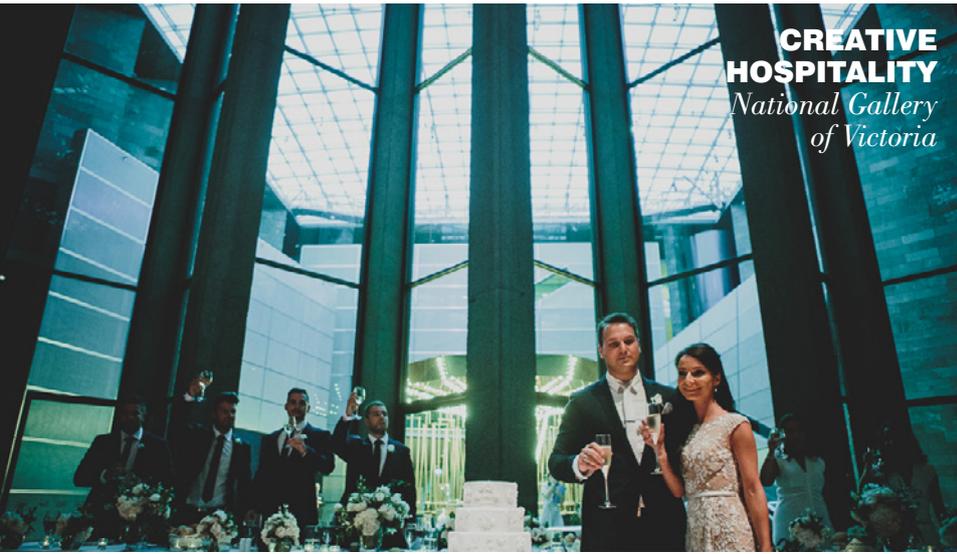
VENUES

GLAMOUR & GRANDEUR
Rippon Lea Estate





**AMONGST
THE VINES**
Mt Duneed Estate



**CREATIVE
HOSPITALITY**
*National Gallery
of Victoria*



BAYSIDE STYLE
Port Melbourne Yacht Club





EDITOR'S tips

- ~ Rippon Lea offers a variety of locations for ceremonies and post-ceremony drinks
- ~ Sprawling grounds provide beautiful photography backdrops

CATHERINE & ALEX

Romantic elegance at Rippon Lea Estate

A vision for a romantic, elegant affair was realised for Catherine and Alex, with their recent wedding at Rippon Lea Estate. From their ceremony within the sprawling grounds, celebration cocktails in the gardens, to an art deco inspired dinner reception in the Estate's Grand Ballroom – this was a beautiful celebration.

See more of this dream couples big day [here](#)

RASHA & JASON

Bayside Bliss at Port Melbourne Yacht Club

The sun shone brightly on the bay for a joyous celebration with Rasha and Jason's family and close friends. An intimate waterside ceremony on the yacht club deck was followed by photo fun on the beach while guests kicked off the reception with free flowing drinks and even a belly dancer! A seated banquet reception lasted well into the night as lights twinkled on Port Phillip Bay...

See more coverage of this seaside wedding [here](#)



EDITOR'S *tips*

- ~ Collaborate with furniture hire companies such as Desirable Days to create a beautifully styled ceremony area
- ~ Bring your own personality, heritage and traditions to your special day no matter the venue





SAY I DO *anywhere*



WAREHOUSE *chic*





MAGICAL private garden settings



A warehouse, by the beach or a rooftop. Your own home, the family farm, a hidden garden. No matter the location, Weddings by Peter Rowland can bring your vision to reality and produce the wedding celebration of your dreams anywhere!



Whether you have your own magical location in mind or need help finding somewhere that's really different, the team can assist. 'The List' – a newly created check list of some of the city's best kept secret venues – is also on hand to help navigate a unique venue choice for your ceremony and reception.

A revolving line up of intimate or grand spaces from avant garde galleries, a Victorian era music hall or a super sleek roof top locale are always being discovered by Peter Rowland Catering, providing a host of additional location ideas for brides and grooms to be.

For more inspiration about anytime, anywhere options click [here](#)



ULTRA URBAN celebrations



EAT, DRINK & be married

What you serve your guests to eat and drink is a central part of your wedding celebration. Make it bountiful. Make it fun. Share food, share love.

Peter Rowland Catering's Executive Chef, Neil Rocke gives his Top Five tips for on trend dishes for the coming season.



*Pretty as a picture
terrarium style desserts*





1

SWEET STATEMENTS...

Mix up your dessert offering with fun foodie elements such as an ice cream cart, fairy floss or statement sized sweet treats!

2

FOOD DESIGNING...

Serve dishes inspired by your favourite ingredients or cuisine. Menus can always be create to suit.





3 *SHARE A FEAST...*

Create a more relaxed mood with generous shared platters to feast on with your family and friends. Perfect for warmer weather receptions too.



4

OUTDOOR DINING...

Make the most of your venue's gardens and opt for an alfresco celebration, perfect for open air marquees on a balmy night.



5

COCKTAIL COUTURE...

Have a signature drink created in your honour to welcome guests to the reception...



YOUR STYLE

Making your wedding a reflection of your own personal style is all part of the fun of planning your big day – and adding personal touches, a generous dash of whimsy and celebration elements for the reception creates a memorable occasion for you and your guests.

Weddings by Peter Rowland's lead wedding consultant Fiona Scanlon, shares her favourite ways of adding personal touches to your big day...

add some fun to your reception

with photo booths, dress ups or polaroids to provide a host of happy memories for all

think differently about flowers

– not just as centrepieces on tables but hanging arrangements, cascading over buffet tables and even creating walls as delightful backdrops. Talk with your florist about creative options

carry through your **preferred colour palette to the table wear** – from plates, glassware and even the cutlery



think about adding some acoustic music playing your favourite songs during the ceremony or at welcome drinks to create a romantic atmosphere

make pre reception drinks fun and relaxed – try 'help your self' drink carts or giant punch bowls

create a sense of arrival for your guests to the reception with directional signage or novel ways to display table plans

seek out a calligrapher to **handwrite beautiful bespoke place settings** for your guests to suit the wedding locale



Weddings

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We look forward to helping create the wedding of your dreams – at one of our venues or the location of your choice. Our experienced and creative Wedding Concierge and team of consultants are here to bring ease, impact and your own personal touches to your wedding celebration.

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